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**From:** Gray, David [gray.david@epa.gov]  
**Sent:** 12/15/2018 3:46:39 PM  
**To:** Edlund, Carl [Edlund.Carl@epa.gov]; Webster, Susan [webster.susan@epa.gov]; Crossland, Ronnie [Crossland.Ronnie@epa.gov]; Petersen, Chris [petersen.chris@epa.gov]; Smith, Monica [smith.monica@epa.gov]  
**Subject:** Fwd: Trafalgar Road Fire

FYI - this is what I sent to Anne and Becky last night.

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "Gray, David" <gray.david@epa.gov>  
**Date:** December 14, 2018 at 4:42:33 PM CST  
**To:** "keogh@adeq.state.ar.us" <keogh@adeq.state.ar.us>, "Idsal, Anne" <idsal.anne@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** Trafalgar Road Fire

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Becky and Anne,

I just talked to our team. We are wrapping up our work and I understand our EPA/ADEQ team have shared information. Most likely we will not have a write up on our recommendations until late tonight. Our plan will be to transmit them to ADEQ realizing that the Mayor will most likely want answers by tomorrow. I think we can meet that timeframe. Also, we have some very preliminary chemical sample results that is looking fairly good. But again, we need the complete 3-day set of 24-hr data reviewed and quality assured before we will make any public statements about it. Our target is December 21. We aren't seeing any hazardous materials at alarming levels that would have us undertake an emergency response or be able to pursue action under federal authorities. It does appear that dump is primarily full of large vegetative debris (stumps) with large air pockets but we should wait on the official recommendations. The large air pockets will most likely limit approaches to extinguish the fire other than opening up the area, and the lack of hazardous chemicals will mostly like leave this to the locals to address.

Tonight – I will most likely only be able to tell the Mayor that we have completed our field work and will share information with ADEQ as soon as possible. I know that it won't be very satisfying in answering questions he is facing from the community.

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